Third Precinct.—Frank Brown, selling liquor to soldiers; military. Mary Richardson and John Queen, drunk and disorderly; \$3.44 each. Chas. Parker, do.; \$1.44. M. Dillon, do.; \$2.44 Catherine Clark, insane; safe keeping for military. Wm. Beatly, deserter; military. Wm. Bogle, do.; do. Wm. Taylor, forstalling the market; dismissed. W. T. Fowler, selling liquor to soldiers; \$20.56. Mary Irvin, disorderly; \$1.44. Julia Lynch, do.; \$2. Mary Hallon and Thos. McKeaver, drunk; dismissed. Mary Richardson, drunk and disorderly; \$2.44. Lewis Smith, sleeping on street; Patrick Malay, fugitive from workhouse; Nancy Ogleton, drunk; dismissed. Jno. Booth, drunk and disorderly; \$1.44.

Fourth Precinct .- Morris Wolf, drunk and disorderly; \$2. Peter Riley, assault, and W. C. Miller, assault and battery; dismissed. Mary V. Scott, threats; bail for peace. Mary V. Scott, John Williamson, Charles Parker Robert Lynch, James S. Newlin, disorderly; \$2. Mary Sea and Tim Daley, do; workhouse.

Bushrod Harris, firing a pistol; do.

Sixth Precinct.—Chas. Posey, grand larceny; for trial. Geo. Grayson, do.: jail for court.

Walter Foster, larceny; dismissed. John Crowley, drunk: military. John Reed and Sophia Newman, disorderly; \$1.50 each. John McCauslan, violating market rules; for trial.

Randolph Wells, compounding a felony; jail Randolph Wells, compounding a felony; jail for court. Wm. Dove, disorderly; \$1.58. L. Landres, violating city ordinance; for trial. Ann Collins, assault and battery; jail. Lewis Myers, larceny; dismissed. Gustavus Conraidi, fast riding; \$5.60. James Nichols, pickpocket; workhouse. Robert Coffman, assault and battery; dismissed. John Clancy, drunk and disorderly; \$1.58.

Seventh Precinct .- G. W. Seward, drunk and disorderly; dismissed. W. H. Inebriate, do.; military. Sarah Bease, do.; \$2.50. John Conner, do. \$4.94. John Bennett, peddling with-out license; dismissed. John Sharnies, do.: \$20.58. Chas. L. Mastern, witness: jall for court. John Orr, Frank Cronin, Ed. Jackson. Larney Smith, disorderly; locked up. Catherine Bogus, Henry Mercell, do.: \$2.58. Sarah Bennett, Sarah Smith, do.; \$1.94 each. James Shugaroo, James Rady, throwing stones in street; held for hearing.

Tenth Precinct.-Wm. Jones, suspicion of desertion; military. Thos. Praynor, suspicion of larceny: dismissed. Also, securing stolen property; bail for court. Josephine Miles, disorderly; Patrick Welsh, do. and drunk; workhouse. Chas. Finnegan, disorderly; \$5.58. R. Smith, do.; \$10. Also, for carrying a weapon; \$25. Nellie Williams, disorderly; \$5. Mary Jane Hall, do.; \$4. Kate Nolen, drunk and disorderly; \$2. Omelia Hammond, vagrancy workhouse. James Montgomery and John Pearson, suspicion of desertion, military.

FOURTH WARD STATION CASES .- Thomas Reagan, John Moss, Alfred Moss, sleeping in street; dism issed. Joseph Reed, John Mc-Laughlin, James McLaughlin, Sam'l Branson, Timothy Moriarty, disorderly; do. James Burke, drunk; do. Patrick Tucker, drunk and disorderly; do. Wm. Magher, do.: do. Rebecca Creighton, do.; \$2.58. Isaac White, assault and battery; bail for court. Owen Divine, drunk and disorderly; \$1.58. J. Rogers, do.; \$10.64. John Shadd, do.; \$5.64. Frank Wilton, drunk; military. James Nugent, suspicious: military. James Nugent, suspicious des Military. picious; military. Jessie Johnson, larceny;

"IF YOU DON'T SEE WHAT YOU WANT ASK FOR IT. '-Persons in the habit of "going shopping," or even of gazing at the windows of stores in Broadway, Bowery and other crowded thoroughfares, must have noticed placards bearing the words "If you don't see what you want ask for it." Apparently those words are very simple, and bear a very obvious meaning. But it seems there is more hidden under their simplicity than most people would suspect. Any uninitiated person reading them would naturally fancy the intention of the placard was to convey the idea that within the store there are many things for sale which are not visible on the counters or shelves. This is so; and yet not so. It is so to the extent that many things are for sale that do not meet the eye, and it is not so because those things are not such as one would expect, to find vended in such establishments. What is the explanation? If our information be correct, it appears that the placards referred to, and which are to be seen in the windows of dry goods stores, shirt stores and other establishments where the softer sex "most congregate." are simply intended to announce to the ladies they can get "their bitters" within, without let or hinderance from the genus homo. That is the "milk in the eocoanut." The ladies have at last managed to establish female bars, where they can enjoy their milk punches, cock-tails, soda or Ortard, all to themselves, and without exciting disagreeable comment. It is too bad to "let the cat out of the bag" on the dear creatures, but as the explosion would come sooner or later we want to be ahead of everything else, as usual. "If you don't see what you want ask for it." The gentleman undoubtedly "won't see it" any longer in the same light as formerly, and we are afraid the ladies won't either. N B. Hi will be understood that the above is given the information furnished by "a reliable gentleman," and not from the personal observation of our reporter .- N. York Herald.

EF Large and valuable beds of variegated marble have been discovered near Quebec. A boy in Taunton, Mass., died from bathing in impure water.

# PROPOSALS FOR LOAN.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, July 25, 1864. Netice is hereby given that subscriptions will be received by the Treasurer of the United States. the several Assistant Treasurers and Designated Depositories and by the National Banks designated and qualified as Depositories and Financial Agents, for Treasury Notes payable three years from August 15, 1864, bearing interest at the rate of seven and three-tenths per cent. per annum, with semi annual coupons attached, payable in lawful money.

These notes will be convertible at the option of the holder at maturity, into six per cent, gold bearing bends, redeemable after five and payable twenty years from August 15, 1867. The Notes will be issued in the denominations of

fifty, one hundred, five hundred, one thousand and five thousand dollars, and will be issued in blank, or payable to order, as may be directed by the subscribers.

All subscription must be for fifty dollars, or some multiple of fifty dollars. Duplicate certificates will be issued for all deposites. The party depositing must endorse upon the original certificate the denomination of notes required, and whether they are to be issued in blank or payable to order. When so endersed it must be left with the officer receiving the deposit, to be

forwarded to this Department. The notes will be transmitted to the owners free of transportation charges as soon after the receipt of the original Certificates of Deposit as they can

be prepared. Interest will be allowed to August 15 on all deposits made prior to that date, and will be paid by the Department upon receipt of the original certificates.

As the notes draw interest from August 15, persons making deposits subsequent to that date must pay the interest accrued from date of note to date of deposit.

Parties depositing twenty-five thousand dollars and upwards for these notes at any one time will be allowed a commission of one-quarter of one per Cent., which will be paid by this Department upon the receipt of a bill for the amount, certified to by

the officer with whom the deposit was made. No deductions for commissions must be made from Officers receiving deposits will see that the

proper endorsements are made upon the original

All officers authorized to receive deposits are requested to give to applicants all desired information, and afford every facility for making subscriptions. W. P. FESSENDEN.

Jy 26-tf Secretary of the Treasury. SEVENTH STREET.

CARPETS, OIL CLOTHS.

FURNITURE, HOUSEFURNISHING GOODS, CUTLERY, PLATED CASTORS, SPOONS, &c. Fifty pieces Ingrain, Rag and Hemp Carpets, which we are offering at much less than present prices, some as low as 55 cents per yard.

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Persons in want of Housefurnishing Goods will find it decidedly to their interest to give us a call, as all of our stock was purchased previous to the last advances, which enables us to offer greater inducements than any house in this city.

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DIANOS.—We have just received eight more of Steinway & Son's Pianos all of the different sizes and styles, which we offer the for sale at factory prices. These Pianos are somewhat higher in price than others, but their superiority is apparent to all, after a careful examination. We have also on hand a largeassortment of other makers. Mason & Hamlin's Cabinet Organs, Prince's Melodeons, at Music Store of W. G. METZEROTT.

au 18 Cor. 11th st. and Pa. avenue.

SHOW CASES FOR SALE. Just received eight elegant COUNTER SHOW CASES by the best makers in New York. Apply to P. J. BELLEW & Co., 310 7th street, three doors south of Odd Fel-BERT BEAME, OF THE "UKET CENTER OF

ils Loves and Experits. Hy Cost. M. A. Wien B., with Higgstrasions; 51.0.

OFFICIAL.

War Department, Adjutant General's Office, }
Washington, March 17, 1864. }
All applications for leaves of absence or per mission to visit Washington must be address to Major General Halleck. Chief of Staff, and must specify the business for which the officer desires the permission. Telegrams addressed direct to the Secretary of War on this subject will receive no attention. By order of the Secretary of War: E. D TOWNSEND,

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Assistant Adjutant General

Persons of sedentary habits troubled with weakne s, lassitude, palpitation of the heart, lack o appetite, distress after eating, torpid liver, constipation, &c., deserve to suffer if they will not try the celebrated

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which are now recommended by the highest medical anthorities, and werranted to produce an immediate beneficial effect. They are exceedingly agreeable, perfectly pure, and must supercede all other tonics where a healthy, gentle stimulant is

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They make the weak strong, the languid briliant, and are exhausted nature's great restorer. They are composed of the celebrated Calisaya bark, wintergreen, sassafras, roots and herbs, all preserved in perfectly pure St. Croix rum. For particulars, see circulars and testimonials around

Beware of imposters. Examine every bottle. See that it has D. S. Barnes' signature on our private U.S. Stamp over the cork, with plantation scene, and our firm signature on a fine steel plate ngraving on side label. See that our bottle is not refilled with spurious and deleterious stuff. We defy any person to match the taste or character of our goods. Any person pretending to sell Plantation Bitters by the gallon or in bulk, is an imposter. We sell only in our log cabin bottle. Any person imitating this bottle, or selling any other material therein, whether called Plantation Bitters or not. is a criminal under the U.S. Law, and will be so prosecuted by us. We already have our eye on two parties re-filling our bottles, &c., who will succeed in getting themselves into close quarters. The demand for Drake's Plantation Bitters from ladies, clergymen, merchants, &c., is perfectly incredible The simple trial of a bettle is the evidence we present of their worth and superiority. They are sold by all respectable druggists, grocers, physicians, hotels, saloons, steamboats and country stores.

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COUGHS! COLDS! CONSUMPTION! WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY ONE OF THE OLDEST AND MOST RELIABLE REME-DIES IN THE WORLD FOR Coughs, Colds, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis, Diff. culty of Breathing, Asthma, Hoarseness, Sore Throat, Croup, and every

Affection of THE THROAT, LUNGS AND CHIST. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry does not Dry up a Cough and leave the seeds of Consumption in the system, but leosens it, and cleanses the Lungs of all impurities.

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Only 25 cents a Box. The above are old and well established Remedies. For Sale by
J. P. DIESMORE, 491 Broadway, New York,
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THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, That the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court
of Washington County, in the District of Columbia, letters testamentary on the personal estate of
John Hayre, late of Washington City, D.
C., deceased. All persons having claims against
the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit
the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, en or before the 26th day of July next;
they may otherwise by law be excluded from all
benefit of the said estate.
Given under my hand this 26th day of July, 1864,
by 27-lawsw\*
W. H. LANGLEY.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, That the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Washington county, in the District of Columbia. letters of administration on the personal estate of Casper A. Casper, late of Washington city, D. C., deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the 28th day of June next; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate.

Given under my hand this 28th day of June A. D. 1864. [1829-law3w\*] MARY CASPER.

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This is to give notice, that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Washington county, in the District of Columbia, letters testamentary on the personal estate of John Smith, late of Washington city. D. C. deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vonchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the 30th day of July next; they may etherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate.

Given under my hand this 30th day of July, 1864, au 1-law3w\*

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JAMES, SHELL,

### PROPOSALS.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF Price of the Board of Trusters of Public Schools, City Hall, Washington, D. C., August 25, 1854.

Sealed Proposals will be received at this office until WBDNESDAY, 31st day of August 1864, at 12 o'clock m., for furnishing supplies for the Public Schools of Washington city for the year ending June 30th, 1865, as per schedules annexed hereto. Proposals must be endorsed "Proposals for Fuel," "Books," "Stationery," or "Furniture and Miscellaneous Supplies," as the case may be. Preposals may be made for the whole of the Fuel required, or for the proportion for any one or more districts. The Fuel to be delivered at the expense of the contractor in such quantities and at such times as may be designated by the Committee on supplies. All articles except Fuel, to be delivered at the expense of the contractor, at this office, or at the several School Houses, as the Committee may elect. As the quantities specified in the schedule are only estimates of probable at this office, or at the several School Houses, as the Committee may elect. As the quantities specified in the schedule are only estimates of probable requirements, the right is reserved to require more or accept less, at the option of the Committee. The contract in each case will be awarded to the lowest responsible bona fide bidder, to be determined by the Committee, The Committee reserve to themselves the right to reject any or all bids, if deemed for the interest of the Corporation. Those alone whose offers shall be accepted will be notified. Information may be obtained of John Sessford, treasurer. JONAS B. ELLIS.

Chairman Com. on Supplies B. T. P. S.

SCHEDULE A .- FUEL Coal—Anthracite, White Ash—150 tons; to be apportioned equally in the four school districts
Kindling Wood—Mixed Oak and Pine—30 cords; to be apportioned equally in the four school dis-

SCHEDULE B.—Books.

Holy Bible—1 dozen copies, 8 vo., leather
Worcester's Pronouncing Speller—2 dozen copies
Schelar's Companion—2 dozen copies
Parker & Watson's First Reader—6 dozen copies

Second Reader—4 dozen copies
Third Reader—3 dozen copies
Fourth Reader—1 dozen copies
Quackenbos' History of United States—1 dozen
copies Shurtliff's Governmental Instructor-1 dozen cop-American Musical Class Book-1 dozen copies

Swan's Spelling Book-4 dozen copies Colburn's Mental Arithmetic-4 dozen copies Swan's Primary School Spelling Book-8 dozen First Lessons in History United States-1 dozen copies

copies
Concordia—2 dozen copies
Warren's Primary Geography—4 dozen copies
Golden Wreaths—6 dozen copies
Parker & Watson's Primer or Word Builder—5 dozen copies Davies' Primary Arithmetic—8 dozen copies. Revised edition, 1863
Davies' Elements of Written Arithmetic and Practical Arithmetic-8 dozen copies. Revised edition. 1863 Practical Arithmetic-4 dozen copies. Be

Foolscap Writing Paper—6 reams. Best quality
Note Writing Paper—5 reams. Best quality
Envelopes, large, white—1,000. Best quality
Envelopes, letter, white—3,000. Best quality
Envelopes, letter, white—3,000. Best quality
Writing Ink (Dovell's)—160 quarts
Steel Pens. assorted—100 gross
Lead Pencils—10 dozen
Inkstands, plain glass—2 dezen
Chalk Crayons, prime quality—60 gross vised edition, 1863

Chalk Crayons, prime quality—60 gross Potter & Hammond's Writing Books, Nos. 1 to 12 included—1 dozen copies of each Flates, 8 by 18—1 dozen Slates, 10 by 12—2 dozen Slates, 12 by 14—1 dozen

SCHEDULE D .- FURNITURE AND MISCELLANEOUS SUPPLIES. Three string Brooms-12 dozen No. 4 Sweeping Brushes—2 dozen No. 3 Dust Brushes—5 dozen Shuck Door Mats—8 dozen Hemp Door Mats—2 dozen

Dust Pans-3 dezen
Water Buckets, cedar, unpainted, iren bound-3 Tumblers, pressed glass, best quality-5 dozen Water Cups, tin; pint-10 dozen Wash Basins, tin-4 dozen Earthenware Pitchers, 1/2 gal.-2 dozen Coal Shovels—2 dozen Coal Hods, 15 inches—1 dozen

okers-1 dozen Table Bells-1 dozen Sponge, medium-6 lbs Toweling, linen crash—200 yards. au 26 3t [Intel., Repub. & Chron.]

oal Hods, 18 inches-1 dozen

DROPOSALS FOR COAL. NAVY AGENT'S OFFICE. WASHINGTON, August 26, 1864. (
Sealed Proposals will be received at this office
until WEDNESDAY. September 7th, 1864, at 12
o'clock M., for the delivery at the Ordnance Yard,
in this city, of the following sizes and kinds of
coal, viz:

For Ordnance Foundry, 3,000 bushels of Charcoal, do do Egg Coal.
For Ordnance Foundry, 260 tons of Cumberland For Ordnance Engine, 250 tons of Cumberland For Ordnance Steamer Baltimore, 1,200 tons of Anthracite Coal (steamer size).

The above Coal to be of the best quality, and subject to inspection before acceptance.

All of the Coal to be delivered by the 1st day of November, 1864, free of expense to the Government Proposals must be addressed to S. P. BROWN Navy Agent. Washington, D. C. DROPOSALS FOR WOOD.

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF WASHINGTON OFFICE OF CHIEF QUARTERMASTER, Nos. 534, 536, 538 and 540 Fourteenth st.,

Near New York avenue Washington, August 8, 1864. PROPOSALS are invited for furnishing Wood to the troops in and around the Forts hereinafter spec-ified, from parties owning Wood or Wood lands in the vicinity of the same, viz:
North of the Potomac-Forts Sumner, Mansfield, Bayard, Simmons, Gaines, Reno, Kearney, De-Russy, Stevens, Slocum, Totten, Slemmer, Bunker Hill Saratoga, Thayer and Lincoln, and Batteries Sneade, Kimball, Parrott, and Came East of Eastern Branch Potomac-Forts Greble, Carroll, Snyder, Stanton, Baker, Davis, Dupont, Meigs, Mahan, and Batteries Ricketts and Wag-

ner.
South of Potomac-Forts Marcy, Ethan Allen, C.
F. Smith, Bennett, De Kalb, Corcoran, Hagerty,
Woodbury, Whipple, Cass, Tillinghast, Craig and Albany. Albany.

Proposals are also invited for furnishing Wood to Point Lookout, St. Mary's county, Maryland, to the Cavalry Depot. Giesboro Point, Maryland, and to the Camp of Dismounted Cavalry, in the same vicinity; also, for furnishing and delivering Wood at points on the banks of the Potomac river, accessible to boats, and on the banks of the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal.

Bids will also be received for cutting and cord-

Bids will also be received for cutting and cord-ing Wood at such Points within the limits of the Department of Washington as may be designated by the Chief Quartermaster. Full information on this point will be given on application to this office. Proposals will be received under this advertisement for Wood anywhere within the limits of the Department of Washington for supply of troops n said Denartment. Proposals will be made in the following manner

to wit:

1. For Wood standing, (price per cord.)

2. For Wood felled by the United States engineers or otherwise, (price per cord.)

3. For Wood cut and corded on the ground.

Proposals must specify the locality, kind, quantity and quality of the Wood, and its distance from the nearest fort, camp or station for troops.

Each bidder must attach his full name and post office address to his bid, and the names of all parties interested in the proposal must appear in the ties interested in the proposal must appear in the

Proposals from disloyal parties will not be considered, and an oath of allegiance must accompapy each proposition.

Bids will be opened from time to time, and contracts or purchase made as the Wood may be re-The right is reserved to accept all or any part of a bid.

No verbal propositions will be entertained, but every bid, or modification of the same, must be in writing. Proposals should be endorsed "Proposals for Wood," and addressed to ELIAS M. GREENS,
Lient, Colonel and Chief Quartermaster, Department of Washington.

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PHILADELPHIA DRAUGHT ALE AND PORTER.

I am now receiving large quantities of DRAUGHT ALE and PORTER from this celebrated brewery. which I am prepared to furnish on short notice to all persons who favor me with their orders. Orders given to my drivers will be promptly attended to.

Goods delivered in all parts of Washington and Georgetown, free of charge. RILEY A. SHINN, Agent.

Union Bottling Depot, 57 Green street Georgetown, D. C. JAY COOKE & CO., BANKERS,

HAVE THIS DAY, REMOVED TO THEIR NEW OFFICE, FIFTEENTH STREET, NEAR G. OPPOSITE UNITED STATES TREASURY.

TOR SALE AT W. R. SNOW & CO.'S WHARF,
T No. 107 Water street, Georgetown, D. C, at
reduced prices, the following lots of WHITE PINE
LUMBER. viz: 6.500 feet 14 inch Tongue and Grove Floering
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4.700 '' linch Faced Tongue and Grove Plooring
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Also, 400 barrels CEMENT.
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ebrated PERBLE and PERISCOPIC SPECTACLES, universally acknowledged as the best for STRENGTH-BRING AND PERSERVING the impaired Hyesight, scientifically and correctly suited, by FRANKLIN & OO., Opticians. 244 Pennsylvania avenue, bet. 12th and 15th sts. 388 Pennsylvania avenue, bet. 12th and 15th sts., and
FIELD GLASSES, OPERA GLASSES, MICROSCOPES, THERMOMETERS, STEREOSCOPES, PHOTOGRAPH ALBUMS, CARTES DE VISITE, &c., in a great variety, and at the lowest prices.

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PROPOSALS.

DROPOSALS FOR COAL AND WOOD.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, Aug. 15, 1864. PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED FOR THE USE OF TH

Bids will be received until MONDAY, the 29th instant, addressed to the General Superintendent of the Building, under an envelope addressed to the Secretary of the Treasury, and be considered binding for two weeks after that day, the Department reserving the right to reject all or any portion of the bids received. [au 16-12t]

DEGPOSALS FOR FORAGE.

CHIEF QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, WASHINGTON DEPOT, Dec. 8, 1863. Bealed Proposals are invited by the undersigned for supplying the U. S. Quartermaster's Department, at Washington, D. C., Baltimore, Md., Alexandria, and Fort Monroe, Va., or either of these places, with Hay, Corn, Oats and Straw. Bids will be received for the delivery of 5,000 bushels of corn or oats and 50 tons of hay or straw, and upwards. Bidders must state at which of the above-named points they propose to make deliveries, and the rates at which they will make deliveries thereat, the quantity of each article proposed to be delivered, the time when said deliveries shall be commenced, and when to be completed. The price must be written out in words on the

Corn to be up in good stout sacks, of about two bushels each. Oats in like sacks of about three bushels each. The sacks to be furnished without extra charge to the Govenment. The hay and

extra charge to the Government. The hay and straw to be securely baled.

The particular kind or description of oats, corn, hay or straw proposed to be delivered mest be stated in the proposals.

All the articles offered under the bids herein invited will be subject to a rigid inspection by the Government Inspector before being accepted.

Contracts will be awarded from time to time to the lowest responsible bidder, as the interest of the Government may require and payment will be made when the whole amout contracted for shall have been solivered and accepted.

The bidder will be required to accompany his proposals with a guaranty, signed by two responsible persons that in case his bid is accepted he or they will, within ten days thereafter, execute the contract for the same, with good and sufficient sureties in a sum equal to the amount of the contract, to deliver the forage proposed in conformity with the terms of this advertisment; and in case the said bidder should fail to enter into the contract, they to make good the difference between the offer of said bidder and the next lowest responsible bidder, or the person to whom the contract

sible bidde, or the person to whom the contract may be awarded.

The responsibility of the guarantors must be shown by the official certificate of a U.S. District Attorney, Collector of Customs or any other officer under the United States Government or responsible responsible responsibility. nnder the United States Government or responsi-ble person known to this office.

All bidders will be duly notified of the accept-ance or rejection of their proposals.

The full name and P. O., address of each bidder must be legibly written in the proposal.

Proposals must be addressed to Brig. Gen. D. H.

Rucker, Chief Lepot Quartermaster, Washington, D. O., and should be plainly marked "Proposals for Forage."

Ronds, in a sum equal to the amount of the con-

for Forage."

Ronds, in a sum equal to the amount of the contract, signed by the contractor and both of his guarantors, will be required of the success all bidder or hidders upon signing the contract.

Blar forms of bids, guarantees, and bonds, may be obtained upon application at this Office. FORM OF PROPOSAL.

(Town, County and State) (Date) -I, the subscriber, do hereby propose to furnish and deliver to the United States, at the Quartermaster's I partment at \_\_\_\_\_, agreeably to the terms of your advertisement inviting proposals for forage, dated Washington Depot, Dec. 8, 1863, the following articles in the followin the following articles, viz:

— bushels of Corn, in sacks, at — per bushel ef

56 pounds — bushels of Oats, in sacks, at — per bushel of 32 pounds tons of Baled Hay, at — per ton of 2,000 tons of Baled Straw, at

pounds.

Delivery to commence on or before the — day of —, 186—, and to be completed en or before the day of \_\_\_\_, 186\_, and pledge myself to enter inte a written contract with the United States. with good and approved securities, within the space of ten days after being notified that my bid has been accepted. Your obedient servant,

Brigadier General D. H. RUCKER. General Depot Quartermaster, Washington, D. C.

GUARANTY, We, the undersigned, residents of —, in the County of —, and State of —, hereby, jeintly and severally, covenant with the United States. 

Witness, Given under our hands and seals this — day of

I hereby certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the above-named guarantors are good and sufficient as sureties for the amount for which they offer to be security.

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designated, to-wit: At the Land Office at MINNEAPOLIS, commen eing on Monday, the fifth day of September next, for the disposal of the public lands within the fol-owing townships and parts of townships, viz: North of the base line and west of the fifth principa

26 of section 25; sections 27, 29, 31, and 35, 57 to was ship 117, of range 25.

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ange 26.
Sections 1.3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13, 15, and 17; the N ½ of section 19, the N ½ of section 21, and the N ½ of section 23, of township 116; the 8 ½ of section 19, the 8 ½ of section 23, and sections 25, 37, 29, 31, 33, and 35, of township 117; the 8 ½ 8 B ½, the 8 ½ 8 W ½, of section 31, of township 118, ef ctions 1, 3, 5, 9, 11, and 13; the N % of section 15, or ownship 116; sections 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13, 15, 17, 19, 21, 23, 25, 27, 29, 31, 33, and 35, of township 117, of

range 28.

Section 1, of township 116; sections 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13, 15, 17, 19, 21, 23, 25, 27, 29, 31, 33, and 35, of township 117, of range 29.

Sections 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13, 15, 17, 19, 21, 23, 25, 27, 29, and 35, of township 117, of range 30.

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Township 116; sections 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13, 15, 17, 19.

range 34.

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Sections 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13, 15, and 17; and the N  $\frac{1}{2}$  of section 3; sections 19 and 21; the S  $\frac{1}{2}$  of sections 3; sections 25,  $\frac{1}{2}$ , 29, 31, 33, and 35, of township 129, of range 31.

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ABRAHAM LINCOLN,

By the President: J. M. EDMUNDS, Commissioner of the General Land Office.

NOTICE TO ACTUAL SETTLERS. All bona fide actual settlements under existing laws, subsisting prior to and up to the date of this proclamation, will be recognized; and all such set tlers are hereby called upon to come forward and establish and enter their claims with the Register and Receiver before the day fixed in the foregoing for the commencement of the public sale.

J. M. EDMUNDS, Commissioner.

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